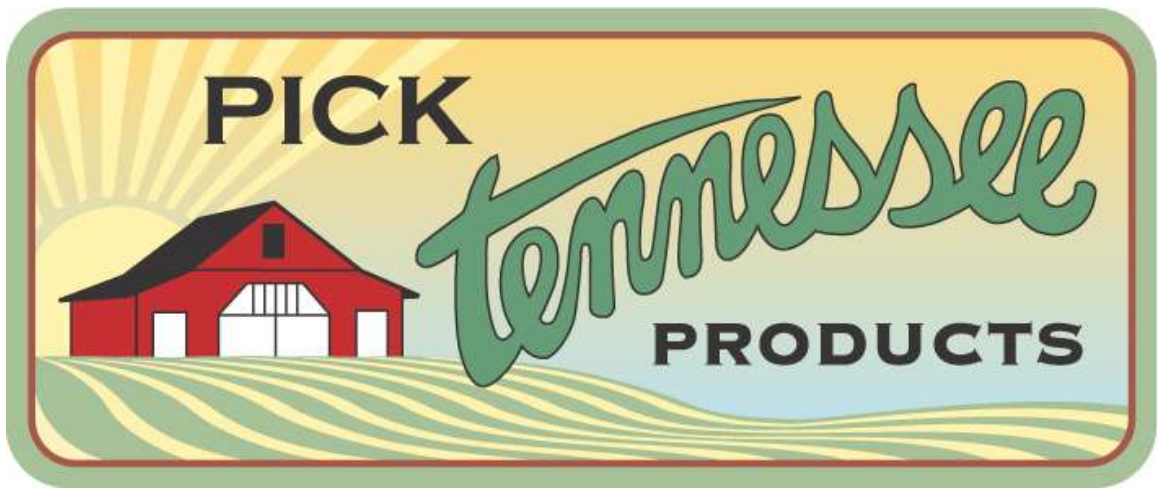


Your Guide to Social Media Survival



To get started on Facebook:

1. Go to www.Facebook.com and under “sign up,” enter your full name, e-mail address, a password, gender and birthday, then click on sign up.



2. You'll then have to enter in the two words shown in a graphic on the screen for security purposes.

Security Check

Security Check:
Enter **both** words below, separated by a space.
Can't read the words below? Try different words or an audio captcha.



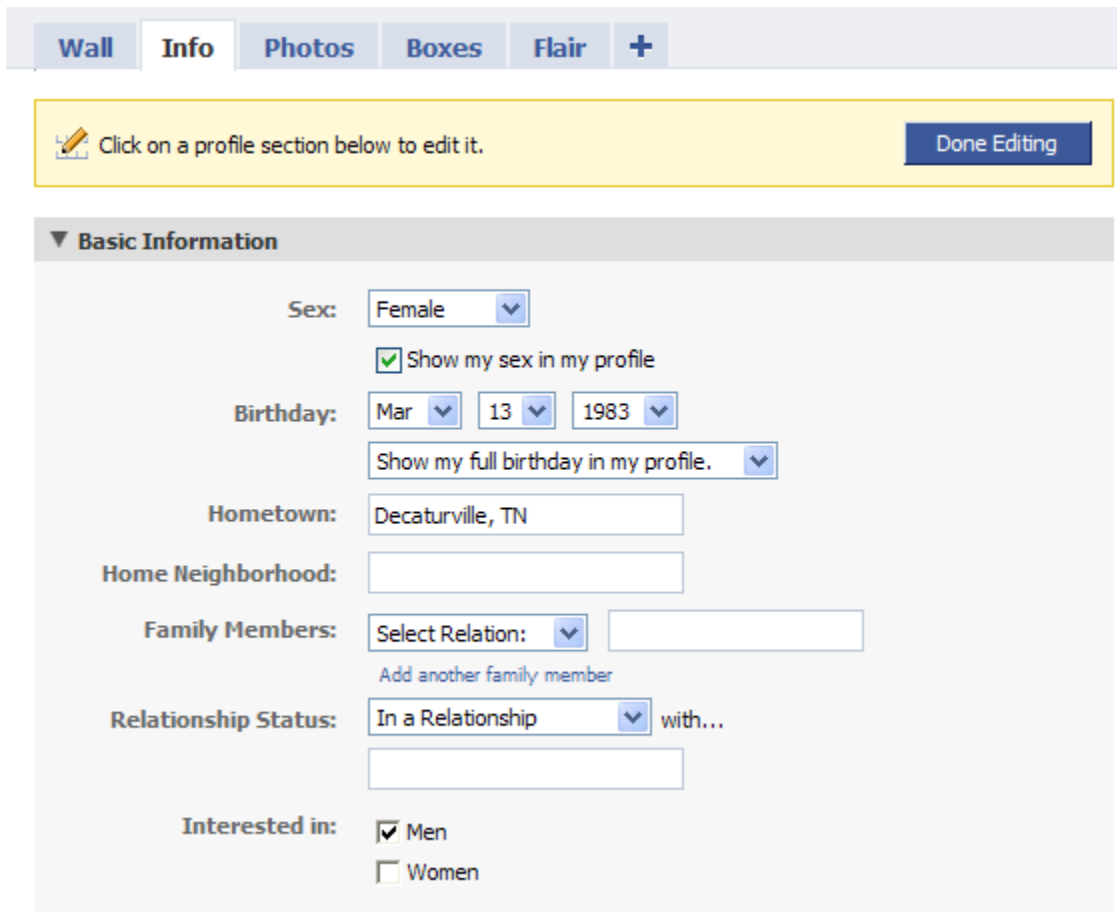
Sick of these? [Verify your account.](#)

Text in the box:

[What's This?](#)

3. You'll then receive a verification e-mail which is sent to the e-mail account you used when signing up. Go to your e-mail and verify the account.

4. You'll then be returned to Facebook where you can follow the next steps to filling out your profile, finding friends and getting started.



The screenshot shows the Facebook 'Info' tab with the following fields and options:

- Sex:** Female (dropdown menu)
- ☒ Show my sex in my profile
- Birthday:** Mar (dropdown), 13 (dropdown), 1983 (dropdown)
- Show my full birthday in my profile. (dropdown menu)
- Hometown:** Decaturville, TN (text input)
- Home Neighborhood:** (text input)
- Family Members:** Select Relation: (dropdown menu) [text input]
- Add another family member (link)
- Relationship Status:** In a Relationship (dropdown menu) with... [text input]
- Interested in:** ☒ Men, ☐ Women

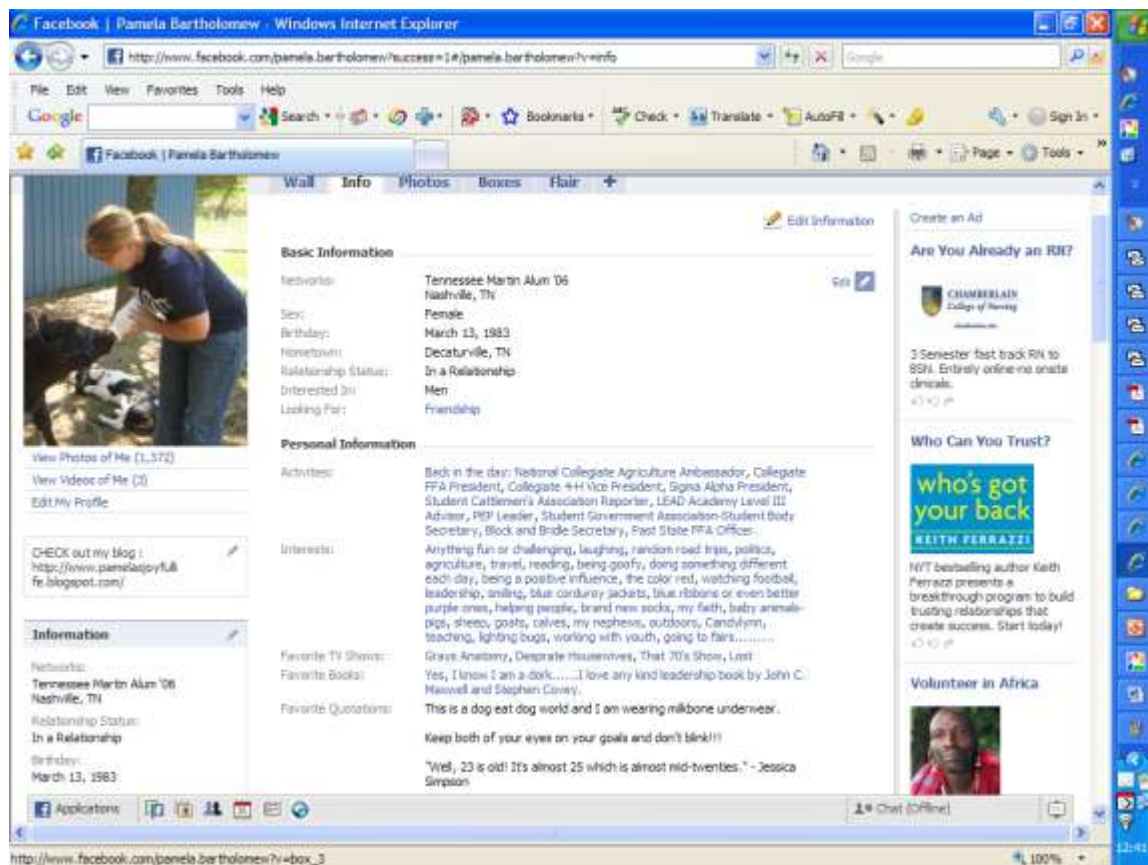
5. You can search Facebook in the upper right side of the Web site. Search for Pick TN Products to find us. It will be listed under the Pages tab in the search results. Become a fan by clicking on “Become a Fan” under the logo on our Facebook Pages.



The difference between a Personal and Public Profile:

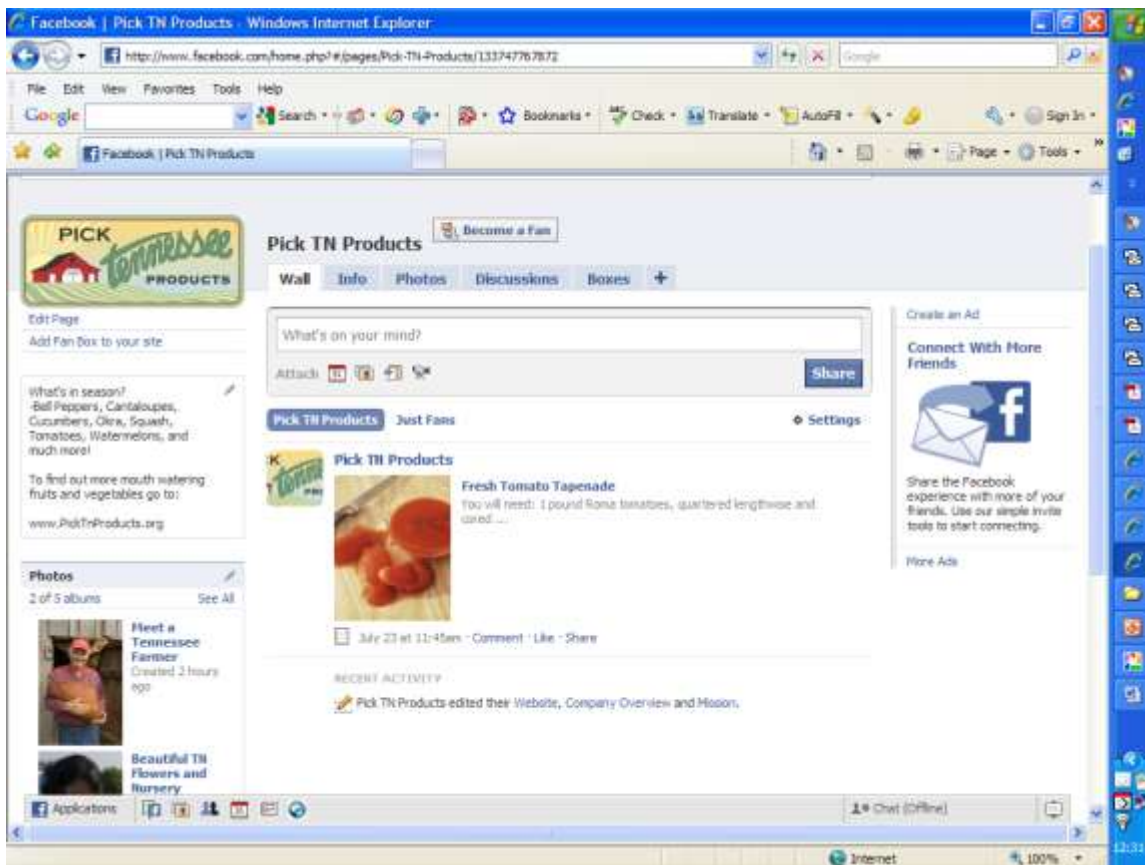
Personal Profile

This is the page you first created when you joined Facebook. It houses information about you and your activities on Facebook. You may access your personal profile by clicking on your name or where it says “Profile” at the top of the Facebook Web site when you are logged in.



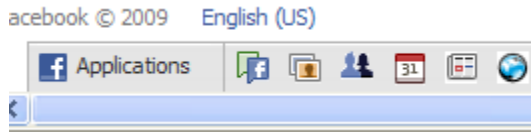
Public Profile

Similar to a Personal Profile, a Public Profile is for a Business or organization. Facebook users may become “Fans” of public profiles by clicking on “Become a Fan” under the logo or profile photo on a public profile page. Public profiles are normally found through interactions with your friends on the Home Page and in the Suggestions Area on the Home Page. You may also use the search box in the upper right corner of Facebook to search for any company or public profile you are looking for. By becoming a fan of a public profile, you are allowing that business, organization or figure’s updates into your Newsfeed on your Home Page so you can stay up to date on its latest information.



How to start Promoting your Farm (Fan Page):

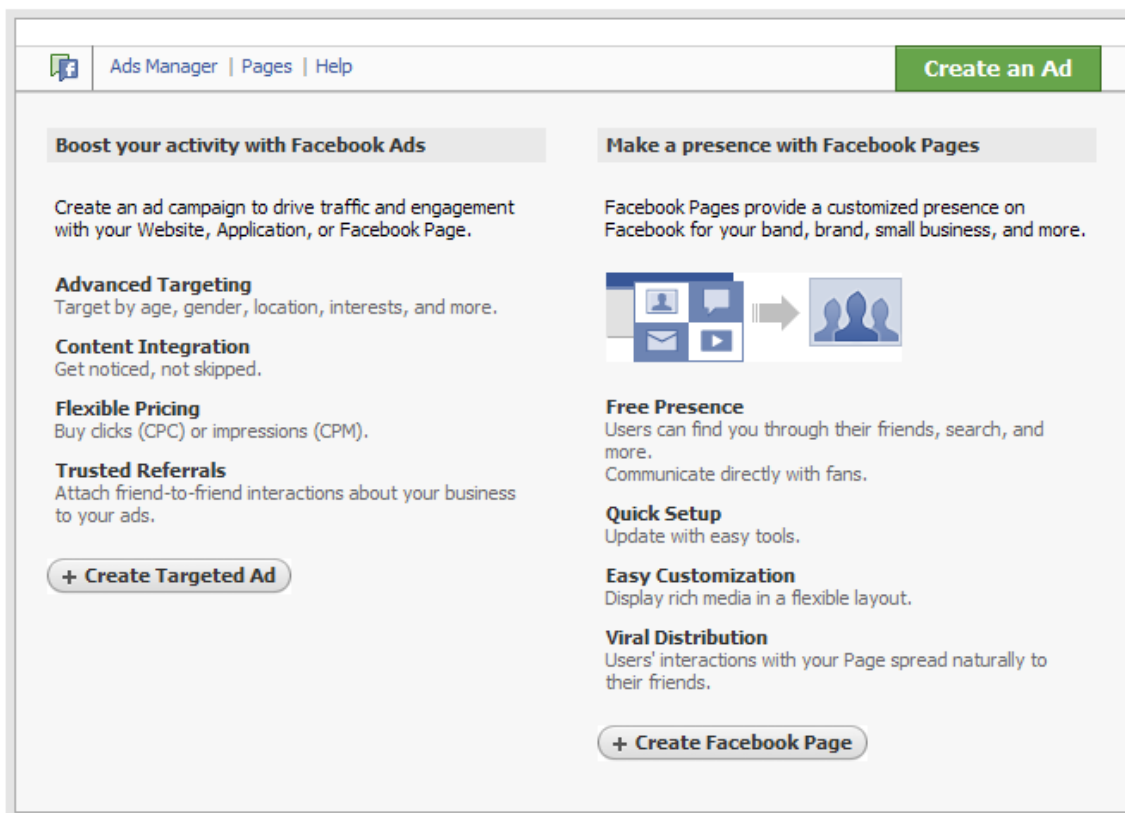
1. Once you have a Facebook Profile it will be simple to create a Fan Page. When logged in to Facebook look at the scroll bar at the bottom of the page.



2. Click on the “f” in the word bubble.



3. This will send you to the page below. Click on Create Facebook Page, located on the lower right of the screen.



4. You will now begin to build your Fan Page. Be sure to put the name of your farm/business the way you want it to be seen on the Fan Page.

Create New Facebook Page
Category:

☒ **Local:**

Other Business

☐ Brand, Product, or Organization

☐ Artist, Band, or Public Figure

Name of Other Business:

Please certify that you are an official representative of this brand, organization, or person and that you are permitted to create a Facebook Page for that subject.

☐ I am authorized to create this Page

Electronic Signature:

enter full name as electronic signature

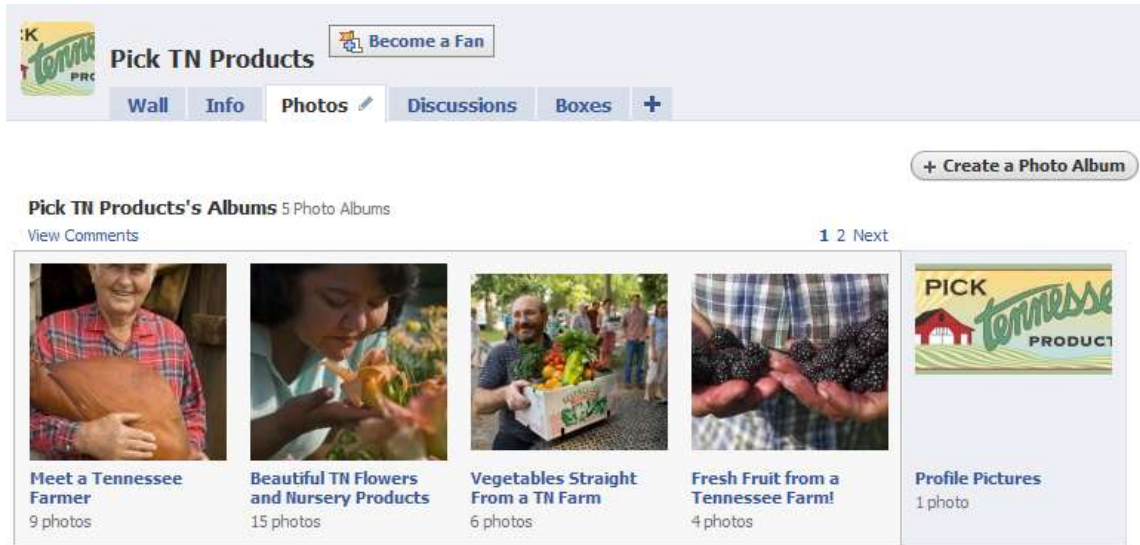
Create Page

Facebook Tools

Facebook is the World's largest photo-sharing Web site, but be aware that any photo you post is viewable to all your friends by default. If friends comment on your photos or if you tag (identify by adding their name) them in a photo, they are also viewable by your friends' friends. If you leave a comment on a friend's photo, it will be viewable to all your friends and all your friend's friends. You may also untag yourself in any photo by clicking on the photo and then untag from the options below the large version of the photo. You can set your photo privacy settings by clicking on Privacy Settings under the Settings tab in the upper right portion of your Facebook Page.



1. To add photos to your page click on the tab labeled Photos. Then click on + Create a Photo Album.



2. Fill in Album Name, Location, and Description. Then click on the blue box that reads Create Album.

Album Name:

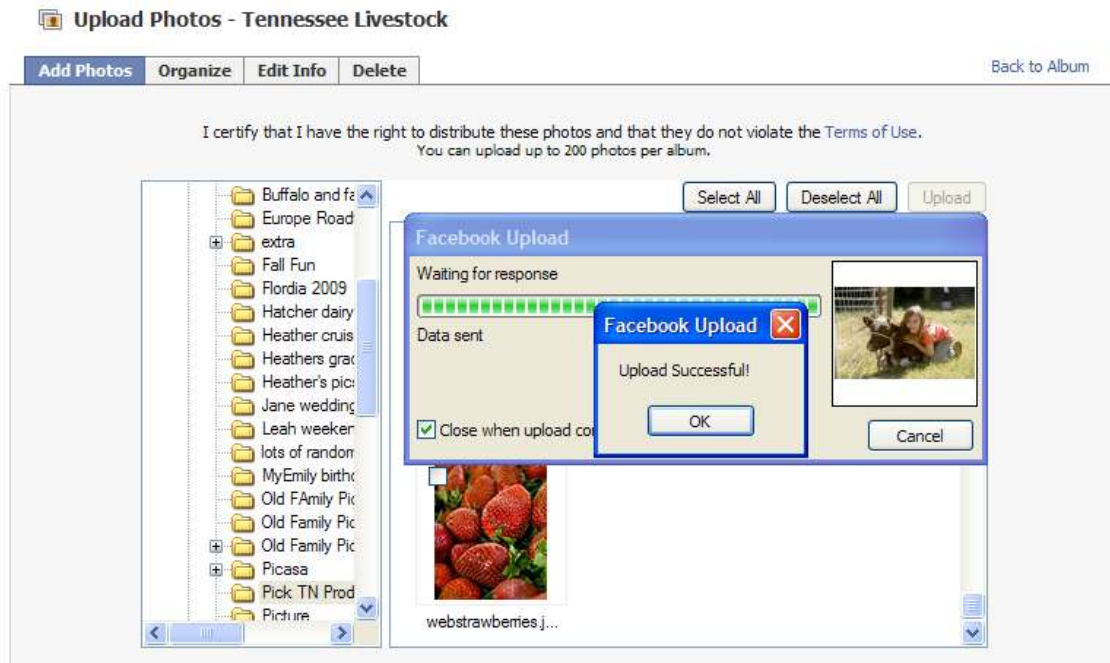
Location:

Description:

3. On the right side find the location of the photos you want to upload from the directory on the left. Your screen displays a directory of your hard drive folders, and from there you can navigate to the folders where your pictures are. Select which photos you want to upload. Choose Select All if you want to upload all of them or deselect all if you want to choose them individually.



4. After you select the photos for your album, click Upload. A pop-up displays the progress of your upload. This might take a few minutes. You're then taken to the Edit portion of the album creation process. Click Publish. Now, it will add your album to your Facebook account.

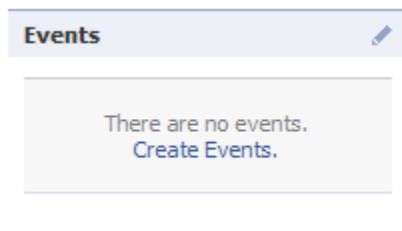


5. Add text next to the photos in your album. Click on the photos to tag friends, family members and colleagues in your photos. Check their name in the drop-down box that appears. Click "Save."



Creating an Event

1. On your Fan Page for your business there is a box that is titled “Events”. You can create an Event and invite all of your Facebook friends. This is a great tool to use to promote an upcoming event or festival on your farm. If you are a seasonal operation you could use it to promote the opening of your operation.



2. Click on Create Event. A form will come up with questions about your event. It is important to include all information about your event.

Create an Event

Step 1: Event Info

Event Name: (required)

Tagline:
eg: "One night only" or "Because she'll only turn 21 once..."

Host: Pick TN Products

Event Type: (required) Select Category: Select Type:

Description:

Start Time: August 3 , 2009 at 2 : 55 pm

End Time: August 3 , 2009 at 5 : 55 pm







Location: (required)

Street:

City/Town:

Phone:

Email:

Applications      

3. Upload a picture about your event. You can upload a picture that you already have stored on your computer.

Customize Agritourism Workshops

[Step 1: Event Info](#) [Step 2: Customize](#) [Step 3: Invite Guests](#) [Finish and View](#)

Your picture has been uploaded successfully.

Current Picture

Upload Picture

You can upload a JPG, GIF or PNG file.

[Browse...](#)

☐ I certify that I have the right to distribute this picture and that it does not violate the [Terms of Use](#).

Upload Picture

File size limit 4 MB. If your upload does not work, try a smaller picture.

Options: ☒ Let guests know they can bring friends to the event.
☒ Show the guest list.

4. Next, you have an opportunity to set the options on the event customization page. You can allow or not allow people that you invite to upload pictures, write on the wall, and see the guest list.



Master Artist's Computer Graphics:
Grant Wood's "Gothic Computer."

Upload Picture

File size limit 4 MB. If your upload does not work, try a smaller picture.

Remove Picture

You can remove this picture, but be sure to upload another or we will display a silhouette in its place.

Remove Picture

Options: ☒ Let guests know they can bring friends to the event.

☒ Show the guest list.

☐ Hide guests who are not attending.

☒ Enable the wall.

☒ Enable photos.

☒ Allow all members to upload photos.

☐ Only allow admins to upload photos.

☒ Enable videos.

☒ Allow all members to upload videos.

☐ Only allow admins to upload videos.

☒ Enable links.

☒ Allow all members to post links.

5. Now, you can invite your friends to the event. You can add a message to go along with the invite.

Invite people to Agritourism Workshops

Step 1: Event Info Step 2: Customize Step 3: Invite Guests Finish and View

Invite Friends
















Promote Event with an Ad

Select friends to invite by clicking on their picture below

Find Friends:

Filter Friends ▼

All Selected (0)

 <div>♥Misty Madonna Hays ♥</div>	 <div>Adam Bennett Tennessee ...</div>	 <div>Adam Comer Memphis, TN</div>	 <div>Adam Dreeszen Iowa State</div>	 <div>Adam Francis Tennessee ...</div>
 <div>Adam Luckey Johnson Tennessee ...</div>	 <div>Adam McCall Tennessee ...</div>	 <div>Adam Morgan Tennessee ...</div>	 <div>Adam Reeves Tennessee ...</div>	 <div>Adam Tipton TN Tech</div>
 <div>Adam Wilson Ole Miss</div>	 <div>Adreinne Danielle Hamm U. Memphis</div>	 <div>Alayna Brittney Conrad Nashville,...</div>	 <div>Alex Pitts</div>	 <div>Alex Shrum Beech High...</div>

1 2 3 Next

6. This is what your finished event will look like. You can invite more people to attend, edit the page, or even cancel the event.

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Agritourism Workshops

Using Your Website and Social Media to Your Marketing Advantage

Host:

Pick TN Products

Type:

Education - Workshop

Network:

Global

Start Time:

Wednesday, August 12, 2009 at 3:05pm

End Time:

Friday, August 14, 2009 at 6:05pm

Location:

Jackson, Nashville, White Pine

Email:

Pamela.Bartholomew@TN.gov

Description


This workshop is for farmers who want to learn how to use the web to help market their produce or on farm attractions. Feature speaker, Sarah Klepper Mount, from SG Kreations which is based in Tallahassee, FL will talk about web secrets to get your website noticed and how to make your website user friendly. There will be a session on Social Media and how to incorporate this new idea into your marketing plan. Guest speakers from the Tennessee Department of Agriculture and Department of Tourist Development will give presentations on new changes and how to get your farm on their websites for free.

The workshops will start at 9:00am till 3:00pm, with lunch provided. The first 30 people to register will receive a Flash Drive. These workshops are free and you will need to call the Tennessee Department of Agriculture at 615-837-5321 to register. If you have any questions about the workshops call Pamela Bartholomew at 615-837-5348.

August 12- West Tennessee Research & Education Center
605 Airways Boulevard
Jackson, TN

August 13- Ed Jones Auditorium
440 Hogan Rd.
Nashville, TN

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Master Artist's Computer Graphics:
Grant Wood's "Gothic Computer."

Invite People to Come

Promote Event with an Ad

Edit Guest List

Cancel this Event

Edit Event

Share +

Export

Your RSVP

☐ Attending

☐ Maybe Attending

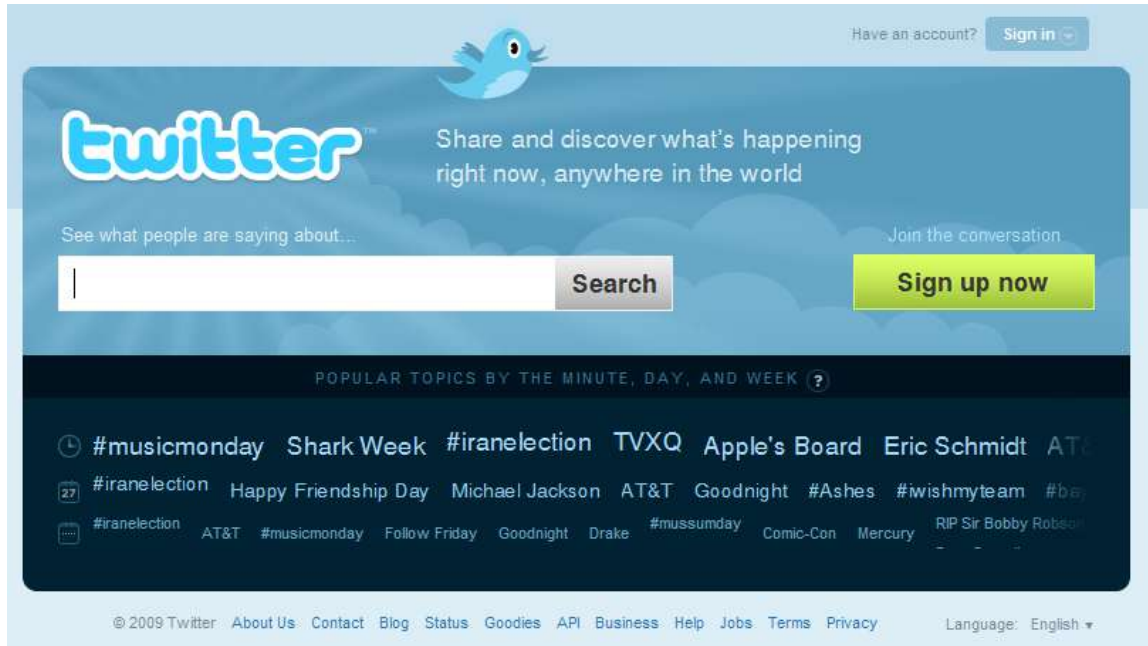
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The Twitter Survival Guide



Getting Started on Twitter

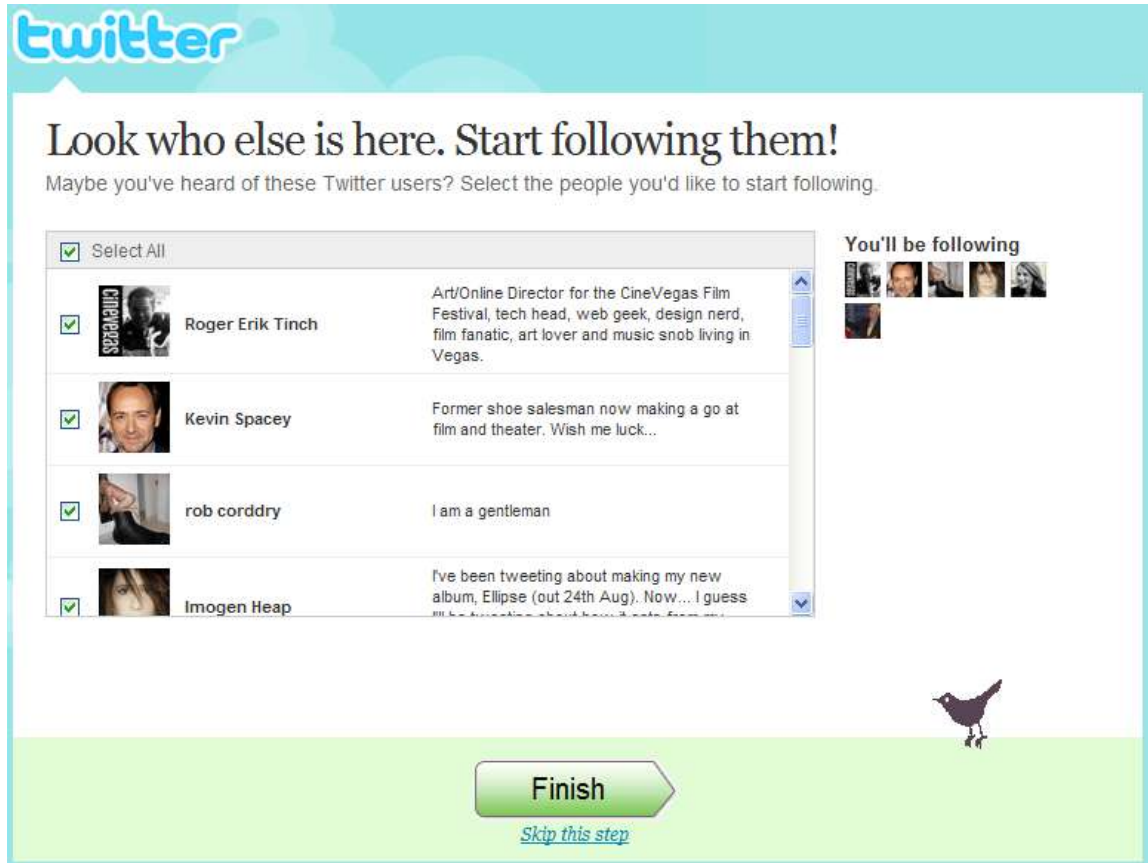
1. Go to <http://twitter.com> . Click on Sign up now.



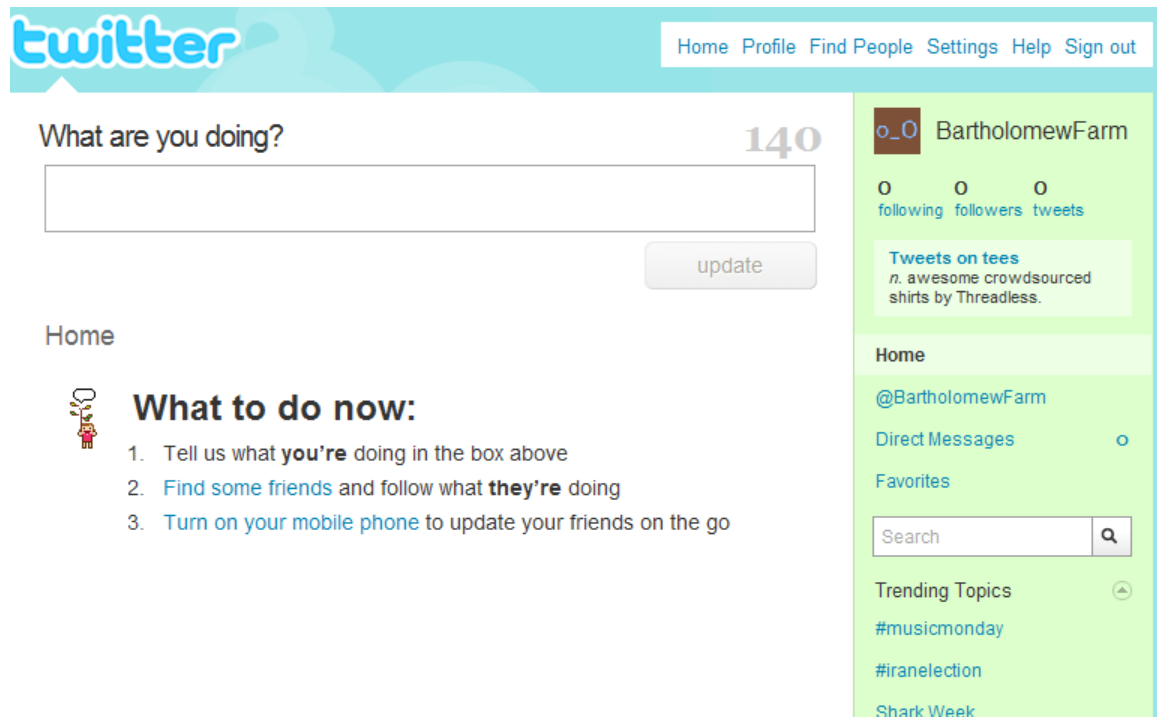
2. Fill in Full name, Username, Password, and Email. For you username you may want to use the name of your business. Then type the words in the box for security code then click “I accept, Create my Account”.

A screenshot of the Twitter sign-up form titled "Join the Conversation". At the top right, there's a link "Already on Twitter? Sign in.". Below the title is a link "Already use Twitter on your phone? Finish signup now.". The form has four input fields: "Full name" with a placeholder "enter your first and last name", "Username", "Password", and "Email". Below the "Email" field is a checkbox labeled "I want the inside scoop—please send me email updates!". At the bottom, there's a security code section with the text "Type the words above" and two images of words: "UAL" and "freda". To the right of the images is a box with the text "Can't read this?" and two links: "Get two new words" and "Hear a set of words". Below this box is the text "Powered by reCAPTCHA." and a "Help" link.

3. It will ask you if you would want to follow a lot of random people. If you click Finish, you will follow them or you can click Skip This Step (in very small print under the Finish button).



4. This is what your page will look like in the beginning. You can send out your first tweet by writing in the box. You can find friends and follow them. One setting that you can use is having your phone set up to send text messages to your Twitter account. You can also, receive friends Tweets to your phone. The only cost of this is the cost of a text message.



Personalizing your account

1. Go to Settings. Under the Account Tab you will have the opportunity to add your website, a short Bio (only 160 characters), and location. If you notice on the right, there are Twitter Tips to help you.



The screenshot shows the Twitter account settings page for a user named Pamela Bartholomew. The page has a light blue header with the Twitter logo and navigation links: Home, Profile, Find People, Settings, Help, and Sign out. Below the header, the user's profile picture (a brown square with 'o_o') and name 'Pamela Bartholomew' are displayed. A tabbed interface shows 'Account' as the selected tab, with other tabs for Password, Devices, Notices, Picture, and Design. The 'Account' tab contains several form fields: 'Name' (Pamela Bartholomew), 'Username' (BartholomewFarm), 'Email' (BartholomewFarms@gmail.com), 'Time Zone' (GMT-06:00 Central Time (US & Canada)), 'More Info URL', 'One Line Bio', and 'Location'. Each field has a placeholder text or a hint. On the right side, there is a green sidebar with the title 'Account' and a description of the settings page. Below this, there is a 'Tips' section with three bullet points providing advice on profile information, changing the user name, and protecting the account.

Twitter Home Profile Find People Settings Help Sign out

Pamela Bartholomew

Account Password Devices Notices Picture Design

Name:
Enter your real name, so people you know can recognize you.

Username: Your URL:
<http://twitter.com/BartholomewFarm>
No spaces, please.

Email:

Time Zone: ▼

More Info URL:
Have a homepage or a blog? Put the address here.
(You can also add Twitter to your site here)

One Line Bio:
About yourself in fewer than 160 chars.

Location:
Where in the world are you?

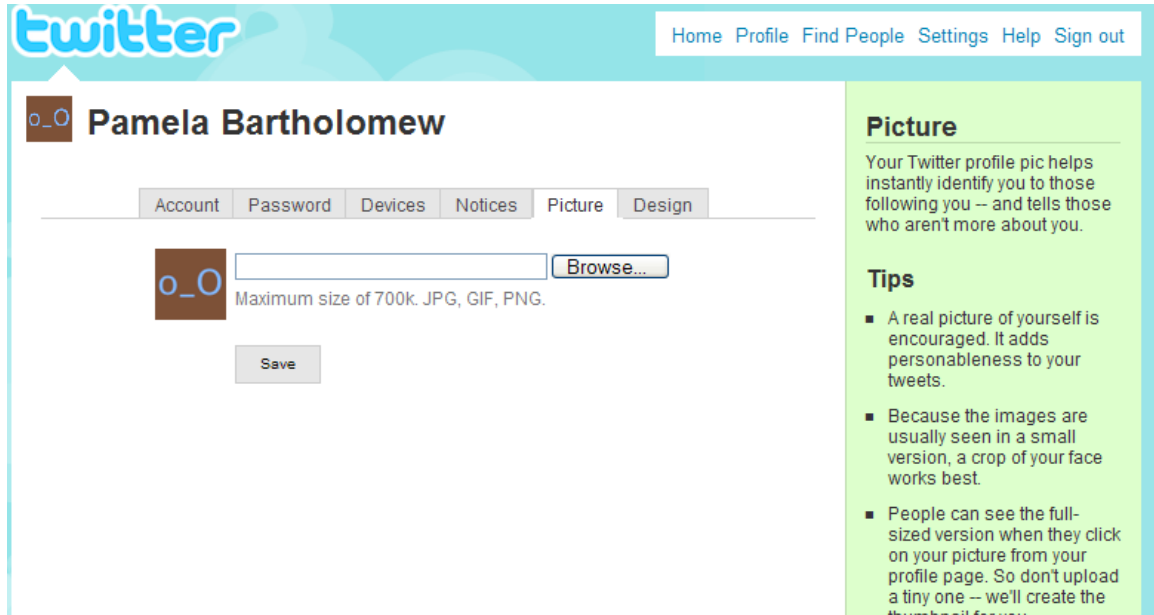
Account

From here you can change your basic account info, fill in your profile data, and set whether you want to be private or public.

Tips

- Filling in your profile information will help people find you on Twitter. For example, you'll be more likely to turn up in a Twitter search if you've added your location or your real name.
- Change your Twitter user name anytime without affecting your existing tweets, @replies, direct messages, or other data. After changing it, make sure to let your followers know so you'll continue receiving all of your messages with your new user name.
- Protect your account to keep your tweets private. Approve who can follow you and keep your tweets out of search results.

2. It's time to add a profile picture. Click on the Picture Tab, then click the Browse button. Find a picture that is already on your computer and click save. Your new profile picture will replace the brown box.



The screenshot shows the Twitter profile page for Pamela Bartholomew. The header includes the Twitter logo and navigation links: Home, Profile, Find People, Settings, Help, and Sign out. The profile name 'Pamela Bartholomew' is displayed next to a placeholder profile picture (a brown box with 'o_o'). Below the name is a tabbed interface with 'Account', 'Password', 'Devices', 'Notices', 'Picture' (selected), and 'Design'. The 'Picture' tab shows a 'Browse...' button and a 'Save' button. A note indicates the maximum size is 700k for JPG, GIF, or PNG. On the right, a 'Picture' section explains the importance of a profile pic, and a 'Tips' section provides advice on image quality and size.

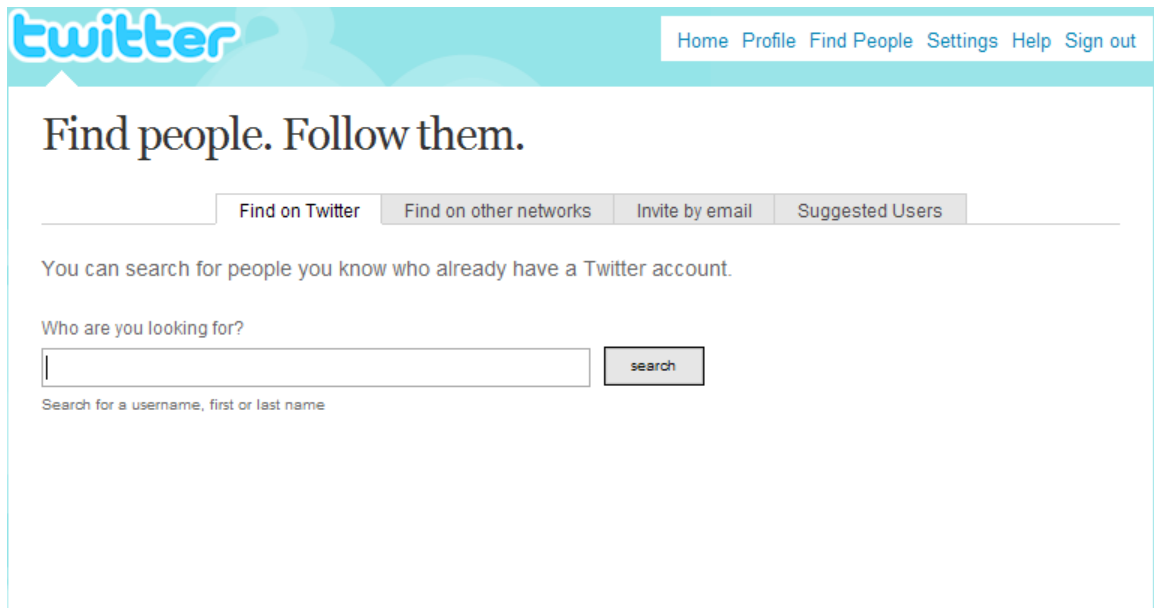
Picture

Your Twitter profile pic helps instantly identify you to those following you — and tells those who aren't more about you.

Tips

- A real picture of yourself is encouraged. It adds personableness to your tweets.
- Because the images are usually seen in a small version, a crop of your face works best.
- People can see the full-sized version when they click on your picture from your profile page. So don't upload a tiny one — we'll create the thumbnail for you.

3. Now it's time to find people on Twitter and follow them. You can type in their username, first name or last name. You can find people on other networks and by email.



The screenshot shows the 'Find people' page on Twitter. The header is the same as the previous page. The main heading is 'Find people. Follow them.' Below this is a tabbed interface with 'Find on Twitter' (selected), 'Find on other networks', 'Invite by email', and 'Suggested Users'. A message states: 'You can search for people you know who already have a Twitter account.' Below this is a search form with the label 'Who are you looking for?' and a 'search' button. A note at the bottom says 'Search for a username, first or last name'.

Find people. Follow them.

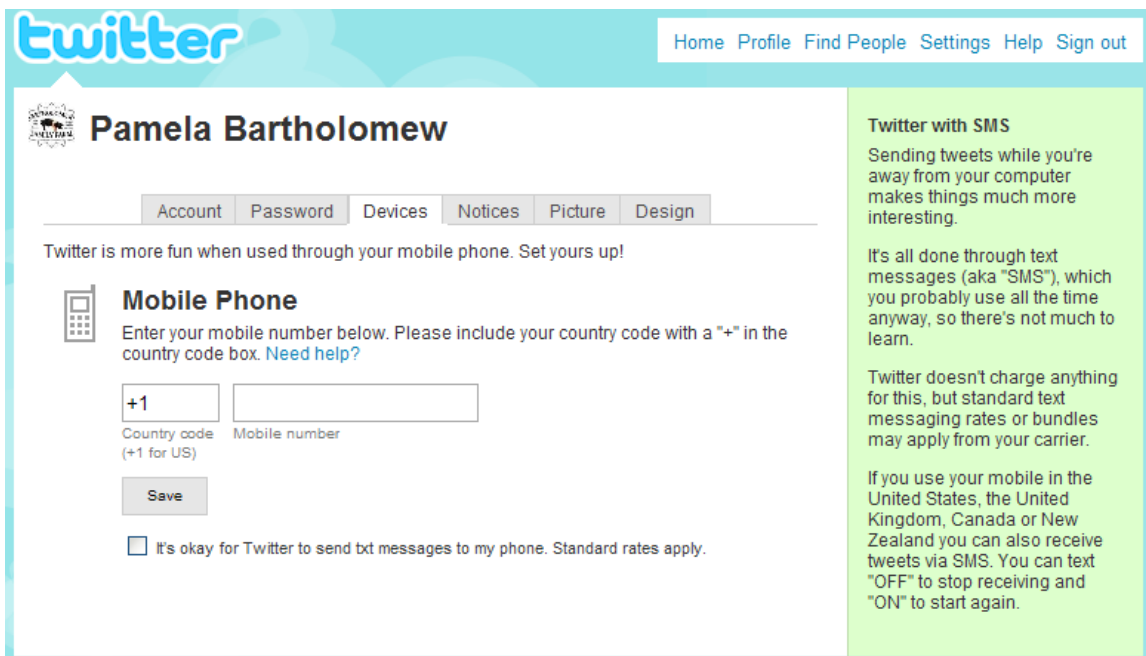
Find on Twitter Find on other networks Invite by email Suggested Users

You can search for people you know who already have a Twitter account.

Who are you looking for?

Search for a username, first or last name

4. To send Tweets directly from your phone and to get Tweets from other people in the form of a text message, you need to sign up your phone. Twitter doesn't charge for this service, but your phone company may. First, click on Settings. Then click on the Devices tab. Add your phone number, with country code first (+1 is the US country code; a US phone number would look like this: +14153368687). Wait for the verification code to pop up. Text the verification code to Twitter using the number given in the devices page. US residents should always see 40404- if you see another number, you might've added the number in the wrong format. Now, you are ready to start tweeting from your cell phone!



The screenshot shows the Twitter user interface for Pamela Bartholomew. At the top, the Twitter logo is on the left, and navigation links (Home, Profile, Find People, Settings, Help, Sign out) are on the right. Below the header, the user's name 'Pamela Bartholomew' is displayed next to a profile picture icon. A horizontal menu contains tabs for Account, Password, Devices (which is selected), Notices, Picture, and Design. Below the tabs, a message states: 'Twitter is more fun when used through your mobile phone. Set yours up!'. The 'Mobile Phone' section features a mobile phone icon and instructions: 'Enter your mobile number below. Please include your country code with a "+" in the country code box. [Need help?](#)'. There are two input fields: the first is labeled 'Country code (+1 for US)' and contains '+1'; the second is labeled 'Mobile number' and is empty. A 'Save' button is positioned below the fields. At the bottom of the section, there is a checkbox labeled 'It's okay for Twitter to send txt messages to my phone. Standard rates apply.' On the right side of the page, a green sidebar titled 'Twitter with SMS' contains text explaining that tweets can be sent via SMS, that it's done through text messages (aka "SMS"), and that Twitter doesn't charge for this service, though standard text messaging rates or bundles may apply from the carrier. It also mentions that users in the United States, United Kingdom, Canada, or New Zealand can receive tweets via SMS and can text "OFF" to stop receiving or "ON" to start again.

5. You can add a background if you like. You can choose one or add a picture of your own. If you choose to add a background of your own, click on browse and add a picture from your computer.

Account

Password


Devices


Notices


Picture


Design

Select a **theme** »














Theme 4






















Change **background image** »

Change design **colors** »

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Images must be smaller than 800k. GIF, JPG, PNG.



 Don't use a background image

☒ *tile background*

bio we are a family farm that raises farm fresh meat. We have cattle, pigs, and goats.

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following

followers

tweets

Customize the way Twitter looks for you and how your profile looks to others. Start with a pre-designed theme -- and then, optionally, customize it with your own color scheme and background image.

Tips

- You can see what your changes look like instantly, but they're not saved until you click "save changes."
- If you want to start over, click "cancel."

This is what your finished page will look like.



The Blogger Survival Guide



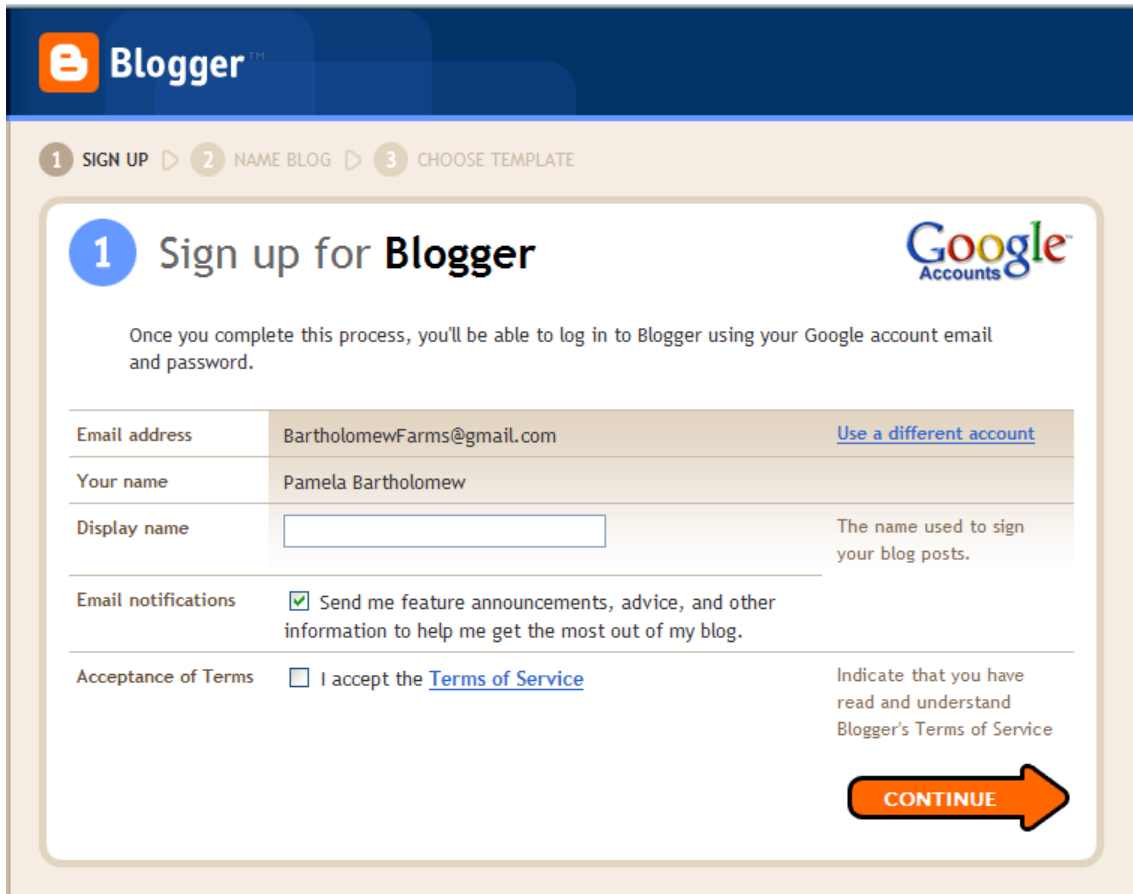
How to Create a Blog

1. Go to a Blogging site like, www.blogger.com . If you do not have a Google account (Gmail) click the big orange arrow that says, **CREATE YOUR BLOG NOW**.

If you have a Google account sign in with your username and password at the top of the page.



2. Sign up for Blogger is the 1st step. Fill in a Display Name. This name will be at the end of each of your blog posts. Check the box for the Terms of Service. Then click the big orange arrow.



The image shows the Blogger sign-up interface. At the top, there's a dark blue header with the Blogger logo. Below it, a progress bar shows three steps: 1 SIGN UP, 2 NAME BLOG, and 3 CHOOSE TEMPLATE. The first step is active. The main content area is titled '1 Sign up for Blogger' and features the Google Accounts logo. A message states: 'Once you complete this process, you'll be able to log in to Blogger using your Google account email and password.' The form includes fields for 'Email address' (BartholomewFarms@gmail.com), 'Your name' (Pamela Bartholomew), and 'Display name' (an empty text box). To the right of the 'Display name' field is a note: 'The name used to sign your blog posts.' There are also checkboxes for 'Email notifications' (checked) and 'Acceptance of Terms' (unchecked). The 'Acceptance of Terms' section includes a link to 'Terms of Service' and a note: 'Indicate that you have read and understand Blogger's Terms of Service'. At the bottom right, there is a large orange arrow button labeled 'CONTINUE'.

Blogger™

1 SIGN UP ▷ 2 NAME BLOG ▷ 3 CHOOSE TEMPLATE

1 Sign up for Blogger

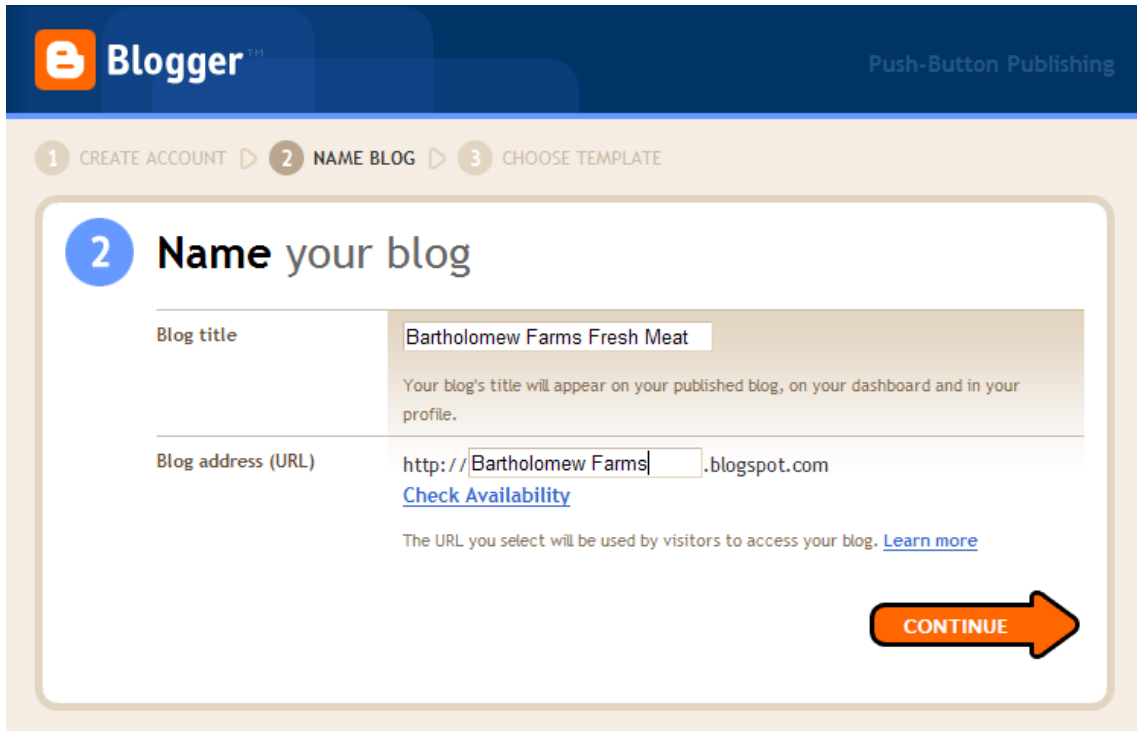
Google Accounts

Once you complete this process, you'll be able to log in to Blogger using your Google account email and password.

Email address	BartholomewFarms@gmail.com	Use a different account
Your name	Pamela Bartholomew	
Display name	<input type="text"/>	The name used to sign your blog posts.
Email notifications	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Send me feature announcements, advice, and other information to help me get the most out of my blog.	
Acceptance of Terms	<input type="checkbox"/> I accept the Terms of Service	Indicate that you have read and understand Blogger's Terms of Service

CONTINUE

3. Name your blog is the 2nd step. Fill in what you want your blog to be called. Next, fill in the blog address (URL). This is an important step, because this is what people will type in to find your blog. To make it easy to remember, I would try to use the same URL as your website.



The screenshot shows the Blogger 'Name your blog' setup screen. At the top, the Blogger logo and 'Push-Button Publishing' text are visible. Below the header, a progress bar indicates three steps: 1. CREATE ACCOUNT, 2. NAME BLOG (current step), and 3. CHOOSE TEMPLATE. The main content area is titled '2 Name your blog'. It contains two input fields: 'Blog title' and 'Blog address (URL)'. The 'Blog title' field is filled with 'Bartholomew Farms Fresh Meat', and a note below it states: 'Your blog's title will appear on your published blog, on your dashboard and in your profile.' The 'Blog address (URL)' field is filled with 'http://Bartholomew Farms'. Below this field, there is a 'Check Availability' link and a note: 'The URL you select will be used by visitors to access your blog. [Learn more](#)'. A large orange arrow button labeled 'CONTINUE' is positioned at the bottom right of the form.

Blogger™ Push-Button Publishing

1 CREATE ACCOUNT ▷ 2 NAME BLOG ▷ 3 CHOOSE TEMPLATE

2 Name your blog

Blog title

Your blog's title will appear on your published blog, on your dashboard and in your profile.

Blog address (URL) .blogspot.com

[Check Availability](#)

The URL you select will be used by visitors to access your blog. [Learn more](#)

CONTINUE

4. Now you get to choose template. There are several different styles to choose from. Once you choose a template to your liking, click on the big orange arrow.

The screenshot shows the Blogger 'Choose a template' interface. At the top, the Blogger logo and 'Push-Button Publishing' are visible. Below the header, there are two steps: '1 NAME BLOG' and '2 CHOOSE TEMPLATE'. The main heading is '2 Choose a template'. There are four template preview cards displayed in a 2x2 grid. The top-left card is 'Minima', a light-colored template with a sidebar. The top-right card is 'Minima Black', a dark-themed version of Minima. The bottom-left card is a colorful, modern template. The bottom-right card is a green-themed template. To the right of the templates, there is a text box that says: 'Choose a custom look for your blog. You can easily change the template later, or even create your own custom template design once your blog is set up.' At the bottom right, there is a large orange arrow pointing right with the word 'CONTINUE' inside it.

Blogger™ Push-Button Publishing

1 NAME BLOG 2 CHOOSE TEMPLATE

2 Choose a template

Choose a custom look for your blog. You can easily change the template later, or even create your own custom template design once your blog is set up.

Minima
Created by: Douglas Bowman
[preview template](#)

Minima Black
Created by: Douglas Bowman
[preview template](#)

CONTINUE

5. Your blog is created! You are now ready to start blogging. Click the big orange arrow the start your first post.

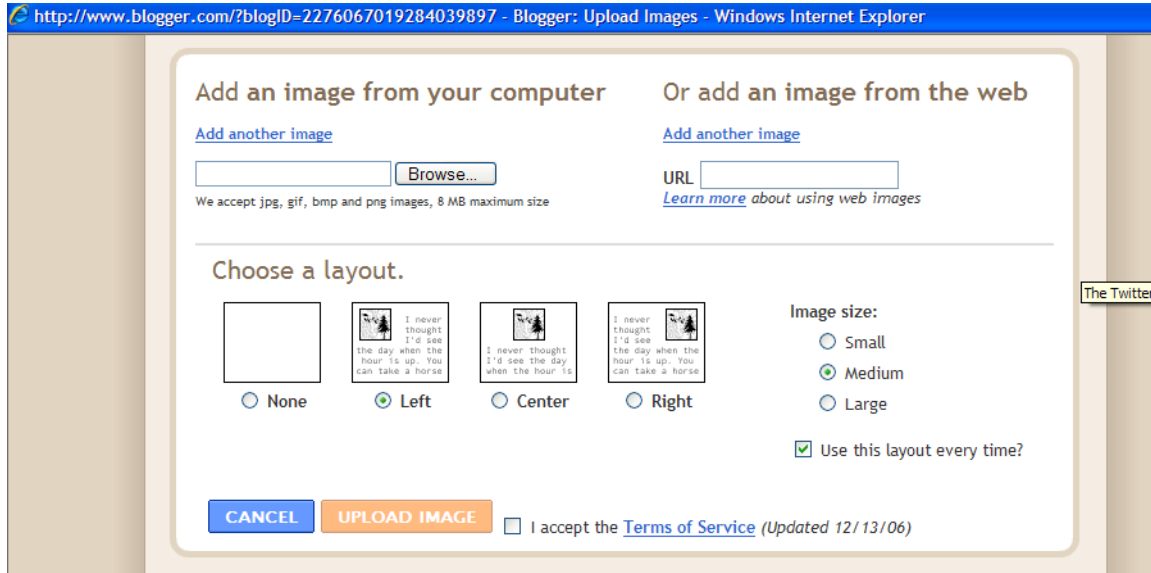


Blogging

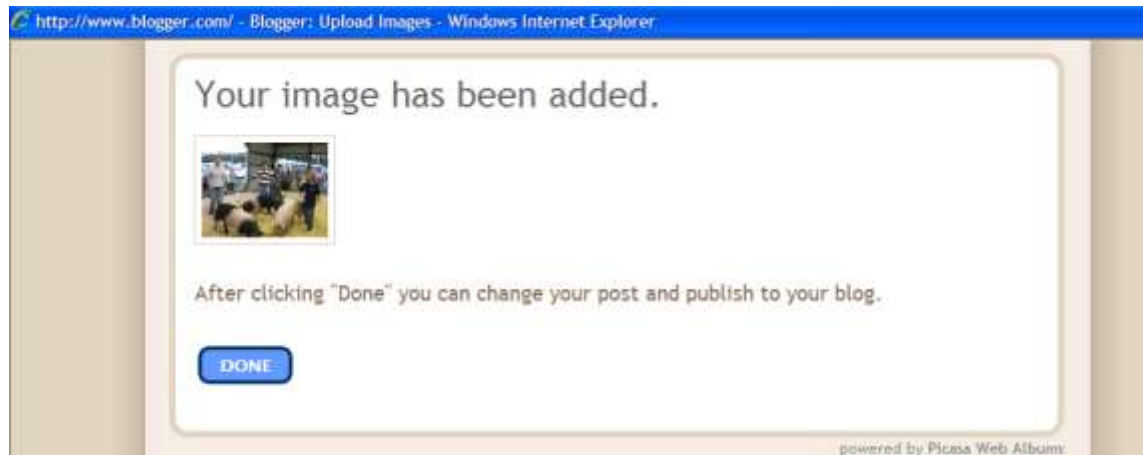
1. Now you can start blogging about your farm. Blogger works almost like Word on your computer. Make sure you add a title. Once you are done you can click Publish Post and view your blog. You can add pictures to your blog. Click on the icon of the Picture (its beside the ABC with check mark).

The screenshot shows the Blogger 'Compose' interface for a blog titled 'Bartholomew Farms Fresh Meat'. The top navigation bar includes links for 'BartholomewFarms@gmail.com', 'Dashboard', 'My Account', and 'Help'. Below this, a secondary bar contains 'Posting', 'Settings', 'Layout', 'Monetize', and 'View Blog' tabs. The 'Posting' tab is active, showing options for 'New Post', 'Edit Posts', and 'Comment Moderation'. The main editing area features a 'Title' field, a rich text editor with various formatting tools (font, bold, italic, text color, background color, bulleted list, numbered list, link, unlink, undo, redo, insert image, insert video, insert code), and a 'Compose' button. A 'Preview' button is also visible. Below the editor, there is a 'Post Options' section with a 'Labels for this post' field (containing 'e.g. scooters, vacation, fall') and a 'Publish Post' button. At the bottom, there are 'PUBLISH POST' and 'SAVE NOW' buttons. A footer note mentions shortcuts: 'Shortcuts: press Ctrl with: B = Bold, I = Italic, P = Publish, S = Save, D = Draft [more](#)'.

2. You can add a picture from your computer by clicking on Browse or add a picture from the web by putting in the website. Once you have your picture, you can decide what size you want it to show up on your blog and the layout. Be sure to check the box that confirms you Accept the Terms of Service.



3. Click “Done” and the picture will be posted to your blog.



4. You can move the picture anywhere to fit in your blog.

 **Bartholomew Farms Fresh Meat**

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PUBLISH POST

SAVE NOW

Draft autosaved at 5:10 PM

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5. Your completed blog will look similar to this one.

Pamela's Joyful Life

This blog lets you get a glimpse of life of an outgoing farm girl living in the city. My life is filled with fun and craziness. In a span of a week I may be traveling across the state with my job, working on my family farm, going on random road trips with my friends, and doing whatever sounds fun! As you can tell I am blessed with all the Joys in my life!

ABOUT ME

Pamela Joy

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WEDNESDAY, JULY 1, 2009

Great Burgers, Steaks, and Friends Hidden in Small Town Tennessee

When you go to college and live in the dorms there is a huge chance that you are going to get a weird roomie. For me, I was very fortunate that my new roomie would be someone that I would become great friends with. Even though, Leah and I were from two different sides of West TN we already knew each other. We met the summer before our senior yr of high school at Volunteer Girls State. Then a mutual friend of ours told me she was looking for a roomie and I was needing one. We were freshmen roommates and friends ever since.

Lately, I haven't been making it to West TN to hang out with all my friends due to work travels, etc. It had been about a year since I stayed in Lauderdale Co with Leah. LC reminds me a lot of where I come from with it being small and rural. While I was in LC I went to a wedding, and to two different dining spots.

Big Daddy's Diner in Gates